

<b>Response to Office Communication</b>  Address to: Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Docket No.	STAN-303
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Sir:

This communication is submitted in response to the Office Communication dated September 10, 2007. The Examiner therein required an election of species for a pathological condition set forth in Claim 13. Applicants herein elect disease as a specific condition for purposes of searching the invention. Claim 13 reads on the elected species; Claims 1-8, 14-15 and 17 are generic. Claims 9, 10, 12, 16 and 17 are drawn to non-elected species.

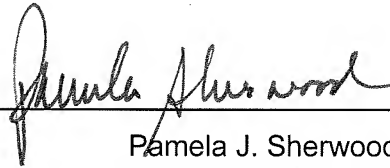
It is noted that upon finding allowable subject matter the Examiner will rejoin the claims relating to the generic condition of inflammation resulting in attenuation of neurogenesis.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0815, order number STAN-303.

Respectfully submitted,  
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